

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of **Joseph HARBAUGH**

Confirmation No.: **4205**

Application No.: **09/826,690**

Examiner: **CASLER, Traci L.**

Filed: **April 5, 2001**

Group Art Unit: **3629**

Attorney Docket No.: **6994-1**

For: **METHOD FOR ADMITTING AN ADMISSIONS APPLICANT INTO AN
ACADEMIC INSTITUTION**

RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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Commissioner for Patents

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Dear Sir:

This Response is being filed in response to the final Office Action mailed December 7, 2009. This Response is accompanied by a Request for Continued Examination and credit card authorization to charge the \$65 small entity fee for a retroactive one-month extension of time, the \$130 fee for a 3 month suspension of action, and the \$405 small entity fee for a request for continued examination. Although no additional fees are believed due, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any surplus to Deposit Account No. 14-1437. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this document.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 12 of this document.